

Table 3C
2004 Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance ⁽¹⁾
California
Summary of Breastfeeding Indicators
Children Aged < 5 Years ⁽²⁾

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Summary of Breastfeeding Indicators ⁽³⁾				
	California Prevalence		National Prevalence (Prior Year)	
	Number	%	Number	%
Breastfeeding Duration ^(4,5)				
Ever Breastfed	0	*	928,626	53.2
Breastfed 1+ Weeks	0	*	657,039	50.1
Breastfed 2+ Weeks	0	*	550,552	46.7
Breastfed 3+ Weeks	0	*	472,904	44.2
Breastfed 4+ Weeks	0	*	427,300	41.8
Breastfed 6+ Weeks	0	*	377,687	37.0
Breastfed 2+ Months	0	*	364,538	32.5
Breastfed 3+ Months	0	*	388,395	28.5
Breastfed 4+ Months	0	*	433,874	25.6
Breastfed 5+ Months	0	*	483,973	23.1
Breastfed 6+ Months	0	*	490,960	21.5
Breastfed 9+ Months	0	*	475,998	16.8
Breastfed 12+ Months	0	*	504,421	13.6
Breastfed 18+ Months	0	*	375,112	7.9

(1) Reporting period is January 1 through December 31.

(2) Analyses based on one record per child.

(3) Excludes records with unknown data or errors.

(4) Infants born during the reporting period included in the Ever Breastfed analysis. For each breastfeeding duration category, the analysis includes only children who turned that age during the reporting period by/on their date of visit. For example, infants who turned 9 months old during the reporting period by/on their date of visit are included in the 9+ months analysis.

(5) It is possible the analysis will show that slightly more infants are breastfed at older ages, e.g. 1+ week of age, than at younger ages, e.g. at birth (ever breastfed), due to variation in infants included in each breastfeeding analysis category.

* Percentages are not calculated if < 100 records are available for analysis after exclusions.

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2004 Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance ⁽¹⁾
California
Summary of Breastfeeding Indicators
Children Aged 5 to <20 Years ⁽²⁾
Standard Year (School Age Coding)

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Breastfeeding data not applicable to children aged 5 to <20 years.

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